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## EDI Announcement:

### Prepare for March 31, 2012, End Date for Dual Use of 5010 and D.0 Formats

In December 2011, the State of Nevada Department of Health and Human Services Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) announced that, effective January 1, 2012, Nevada would accept both Accredited Standards Committee (ASC) X12 Version 5010 **and** Version 4010 transactions, as well as National Council of Prescription Drug Programs (NCPDP) Version D.0 **and** Version 5.1 transactions. Nevada announced that it would support both the old and new formats of these transactions (Dual Use) at a minimum for the duration of the Discretion Period announced by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), which began January 1, 2012, and continues through March 31, 2012.

**At this time, DHCFP has determined that it will not support Dual Use of these transaction formats beyond March 31, 2012.** For this reason, Nevada Medicaid and Nevada Check Up providers and trading partners (aka Service Centers) who wish to continue to conduct business with Nevada using electronic transactions must transition to the new formats before April 1, 2012.

Testing opportunities for both of the new telecommunications standards are still available to Nevada Medicaid and Nevada Check Up providers and trading partners as follows:

- Testing for pharmacy transactions in the NCPDP D.0 format is supported by SXC Health Solutions Inc. For more information regarding testing with SXC, you may send an email to [Nevada.Medicaid@sx.com](mailto:Nevada.Medicaid@sx.com) or call (775) 335-8537.
- Testing for ASC X12 5010 transactions is supported by EDIFECS Inc. through the EDIFECS Ramp Management Testing Solution. If you have not already received an invitation to test through Ramp Management, you may contact the help desk via email at [nvmmis.edirampsupport@hp.com](mailto:nvmmis.edirampsupport@hp.com) to request access to the tool and instructions.